

**Cathedral Church of St Marie
Churches of St Charles Borromeo, Holy Family and
Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald**

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**18th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)
5th August to 12th August 2018**

Today's Readings: *I Ex 16:2-4, 12-15 Ps 77:3+4bc, 23-24, 25+54. R 24b II Eph 4:17, 20-24 G Jn 6:24-35*

Next Sunday: *I 1 Kgs 19:4-8 Ps 33:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9. R 9a II Eph 4:30-5:2 G Jn 6:41-51*

Cathedral

Saturday 4: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)

5.30pm Deceased Members of the SVP

Sunday 5: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8.30am Parish Prayer Book

10.30am Paul Hazell (ill)

12.30pm Prince James (intentions)

6.30pm Young Adults & Students of Hallam Diocese

Monday 6: THE TRANSFIGURATION OF THE LORD

8.00am November Memorial List

12.45pm Edward McAssey (anniversary)

5.30pm Narcisse Grondin (anniversary)

Tuesday 7: Weekday

8.00am November Memorial List

12.45pm Mary Sheehy (birthday intentions)

5.30pm Rev Fr Brian Davies (anniversary)

Wednesday 8: St Dominic

8.00am Paul Hazell (ill)

12.45pm Heloisa Furtado (recently deceased)

5.30pm Kevin Connell (anniversary)

Thursday 9: ST TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS

8.00am Harriet Victoria Cauchi (deceased)

12.45pm Rev Fr Terence Clifford (anniversary)

5.30pm November Memorial List

Friday 10: ST LAURENCE

8.00am November Memorial List

12.45pm Margaret & James Daly (anniversary)

5.30pm Samuel & Cissie Waters (R.I.P.)

Saturday 11: St Clare

12.30pm November Memorial List

Next Weekend's Masses – Cathedral

Saturday 11: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Vigil)

5.30pm Jean Rodgers (intentions)

Sunday 12: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8.30am Rev Fr Matthew Malone (anniversary)

10.30am Patricia O'Daly (anniversary)

12.30pm November Memorial List

6.30pm Young Adults & Students of Hallam Diocese

St Charles

Sunday 5: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.00am Kathleen Ninkovic (anniversary)

Wednesday 8: St Dominic

7.00pm November Memorial List

Sunday 12: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.00am Parish Sick List

Our Lady Queen of Heaven & St Oswald

Sunday 5: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.45am Deceased Members of Rogan & Casey Families

Friday 10: ST LAURENCE

9.15am November Memorial List

Sunday 12: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.45am Vera Armitage (R.I.P.)

Holy Family

Sunday 5: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

11.00am Parish Intentions

Sunday 12: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

11.00am Parish Intentions

Divine Office at the Cathedral

Morning Prayer: Monday–Friday 7.45am

Midday Prayer: Monday–Friday 12.30pm

Evening Prayer: Monday–Friday 5.15pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Monday–Friday 12.00–12.30pm

Saturday 11.00am–12.15pm, 4.45–5.15pm

Exposition

Monday–Friday 12.00–12.30pm

Prayer Led by Parishioners at the Cathedral

Rosary

Friday 2.00pm, Saturday 12.00pm

Devotion to The Divine Mercy

Friday 2.30pm

Parish Groups at the Cathedral

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Resumes Sunday 9th September

St Vincent de Paul Fortnightly in the Parish Rooms; e-mail the Cathedral Office to contact the SVP

Monday Over 60s Lunch Club

After 12.45pm Mass in the Parish Room

Friday Lunch Club

Resumes Friday 7th September

Sunday Teas & Coffees

Resumes Sunday 2nd September

We pray for Margaret Martin and all those who have died recently.

Please Remember In Your Prayers Our Sick: Pat Lee, Philippa Bartlett, Sheila Canny, Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Gloria Welsh, Anthony Gallagher, Manuel Moreira, Celestine, Ana Maria Moreira, Diana & Zaneta Holubova, John Carroll, Laney Leigh Whittaker, Maria Tomé Lopes Bandeira, Robert Stock, Kate Ibok, Kath Atherton, Pauline West, Matthew Smith, Phyllis Caesar, Dominic, and all those who are suffering mentally, emotionally or physically.

Names will stay on the list for 3 months. Please contact Cathedral House if you wish your friend or family member to be included.

Anniversaries this Week: 6 Aug – Narcisse Grondin; 7 Aug – Rev Fr Francis Gwinnett, Rev Fr Brian Davies; 8 Aug – Kevin Connell; 9 Aug – Kathleen Ninkovic, William Cummins, Rev Fr Terence Clifford; 10 Aug – Margaret & James Daly; 12 Aug – Rev Fr Matthew Malone.

St Marie's Collections

Sunday Collection: £956.02; CAFOD: £20.00

Slovak Mass (Svätá Omša v slovenčine): the next monthly Slovak Mass is on Sunday 25th August, 4.00pm at St Charles.

Children's Liturgy is having a break—we will resume our sessions once schools have gone back (Sunday 9th September). Have a good summer!

No Sunday Teas & Coffees during August: These socials will resume again on the first Sunday of September.

Request for donations of bottled water for the homeless: Thank you to all of you who have been supporting this initiative—you are making a big difference in the work that Ben's Centre is doing with street drinkers and the homeless. If you would like to support this initiative, please bring in your donations of bottled water and place them in the Water Donation Box in the Narthex (Cathedral's entrance). Bottles are collected regularly, and handed out by Ben's outreach workers to the homeless in our city.

Male Singers Needed for St Marie's Gregorian Chant Choir: We are delighted to tell you that *Schola Cantorum Gregoriana Sanctae Mariae*—St Marie's Gregorian Choir—has a new Male Section, and is looking to expand. Rehearsals are on Tuesdays at 6.00pm for one hour, and all materials are provided. If you would like to give it a go, please email Josip on PPC@stmariecathedral.org, or simply come along for yourself to find out more!

The Assumption of Our Lady (15th August)—Holy Day of Obligation: a reminder that the upcoming solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation, this year falling on Wednesday 15th August. Please make every effort to attend Mass either on the Tuesday evening (Vigil) or on the day itself!

Heritage Open Days In September—Can You Help? St Marie's Cathedral will be, once again, opening its doors for this year's Heritage Open Days (Thursday 6th–Sunday 9th September, then Thursday 13th–Sunday 16th September). This is Britain's biggest free festival, and we already have some exciting sessions planned to share the wonders of our Cathedral, and some of the talents that are nurtured here. We are always looking for volunteers, so if you would like to get involved at all, please email Eileen on PPC@stmariecathedral.org. Many thanks.

A Fun-Filled Musical Evening in Houlden Hall—Saturday 22nd September: Parishioners (and visitors) of all ages, including families and those who live alone, are warmly invited to join us for a fun-filled evening of music! There will be opportunities to meet and mingle, share supper, sing and dance. Tickets are £3 per adult, £2 per child, or a maximum of £10 for a family of more than 4, and are available after Mass or by emailing PPC@stmariecathedral.org. This will be a great social event, and all proceeds raised will go directly to help support the work of the Cathedral. It's going to be fun, so please do come along!

Carmel Day of Recollection: Saturday 11th August, 9.30am-3.30pm, at the Kirk Edge Carmelite Monastery (High Bradfield, S6 6LJ). Mass will be at 12 noon. The day will be led by the newly-ordained Fr Christopher Ainslie. All welcome!

New Volunteering Noticeboard—How Can YOU Support the Work of the Church? There are lots of different ways to support the work of the Church, and volunteering is one of them. The Cathedral already has many people who contribute some of their time to help the Church, here at St Marie's, but there is still much to do! We now have a Volunteering Opportunities noticeboard in the Cathedral's Narthex (entrance), with a few of the current opportunities. We have all been gifted with different skills and talents, and together, we can make a big difference—for the benefit of others. Please check the noticeboard regularly and get involved in the life of the Church/Parish wherever you can. You will find it very rewarding! Thank you.

Support Group for Women—Starting in September: St Marie's Cathedral will be hosting a new support group for women, starting in September. The support group is about taking positive action to recover from trauma and other stressful life events. If you would like to find out more, please email Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org.

Workshops of Support for Asylum Seekers, Refugees, Migrants and the Marginalised: Hope & Dignity Hearth, a non-profit community organisation, will start running regular workshops in St Marie's Parish Room starting in September. The workshops will offer people art therapy, opportunities to learn about cultural differences, health and well-being, and will also give people the chance to talk with one another and make new friends, If you would like to get involved—either as a participant, or as a volunteer—please contact Candida on PPC@stmariecathedral.org. Many thanks.

Boosting The Cathedral's Finances—Ways To Donate: As you will know, we need to hit the weekly Sunday collection target of £1500 in order to support two priests and continue with the full range of weekend Masses we currently offer. If you are a UK taxpayer, please consider setting up a regular method of donating, so that the Cathedral can claim an extra 25p in every pound; this is at no extra cost to you, via the Government's Gift Aid scheme. There are Gift Aid leaflets available at the back of Church to set up a regular Standing Order, or to join our Gift Aid envelope scheme. You can also donate electronically—with Gift Aid—via our MyDonate page (please see the Cathedral's website for the link). Please help us where you can!

Keep in Touch with What's Going On at St Marie's Cathedral: If you would like to hear from the PPC about what is going on in the Cathedral and St Marie's Parish, you can register to receive our occasional emails. Please send us a quick email saying "I do" to PPC@stmariecathedral.org, and we will put you on our mailing list.

Walk & Talk on Saturday 4 August—in Preparation for the Bishop's Walk: Starting from Saturday 4 August, there will be a regular group meeting at 10.30am at the Cathedral, in order to get in some walking training for the 10 mile Bishop's Walk (which takes place on Friday 7 September). These practice walks will be approximately 5 miles long, and you are welcome to join them even if you can't make the Bishop's Walk. For more information, please contact Josip on PPC@stmariecathedral.org.

Hallam Caring Services Men's Counselling: Hallam Caring Services now has a free, confidential counselling service—by men, for men. To arrange an appointment telephone Bernie Ware on 256 6408 or 07980 406198.

Mass intentions: a reminder that any Mass intentions (along with stipends) can be dropped off at Cathedral House during office hours, posted through the letterbox, or left with a Priest after Mass.

Current Vacancies: Details can be found on the notice-board and on the Hallam Diocesan Website.

Security

Be aware that thieves operate in the city centre so keep handbags & valuables with you at all times when in Church

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